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Applicant(s): Masayuki Amagai, et al. Group Art Unit: 1632

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For: DRUGS TO BE USED IN GENE THERAPY FOR RECESSIVELY TRANSMITTED

GENETIC DISEASE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated August 4, 2006, applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.